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Please find the following document(s) attached:

- 1) Fee Transmittal (1 page)
- 2) Response to Office Action (9 pages)
- 3) Replacement Drawing (1 page)
- 4) Annotated Drawing (1 page)

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